

MONTHLY REPORT FOR THE PHOTO INTELLIGENCE DIVISION
MONTH OF NOVEMBER 1957

A. ACCOMPLISHMENTS

1. Summary: During the month of November the activity of the Division was at a high level with most of the effort devoted to top priority projects for the DCI, DDI, and DDP. Twenty one reports and memoranda plus 12 verbal reports and numerous miscellaneous working papers were completed. Nine requirements were received during the month, five are in research, and 100 projects are assigned to the branches. Three projects were cancelled. In addition, considerable support was given a joint working group of military and civilian intelligence specialists. Technical support was provided which included extensive measurements, photo rectification computations, preparation of graphics and controlled mosaics. Much time was spent in numerous substantive and technical consultations.

a. Support Staff: The Support Staff received nine requirements during the month. Five requirements are in research. Three additional requirements for graphics were processed and three projects were cancelled. The Staff continued to devote much of its time to numerous meetings and consultations in coordinating activities with Agency and non-Agency components in addition to the effort spent on routine functions.

b. Special Projects Branch: The branch devoted much of its time to the production of miscellaneous working papers and support provided to other units of the division. Three reports were completed and work continues on several ID/P projects. A study concerned with camera data was completed. Work has begun on a series of Town Plan and airfield studies. The branch is currently working on 15 projects.

c. Geographic Branch: Eleven memoranda and working papers were completed and verbal reports were made on twelve additional projects. Most of the effort (51%) of the branch was devoted to the Economic Area, ORR, and this condition is expected to continue through December. 31% of the project time was spent on the Geographic Area, ORR, 13% was for OSI and 5% for DD/P. Projects included studies on transportation facilities, urban area, and various industrial installations. The branch is working on 22 projects.

d. Industrial Branch: More than 90% of the effort of the division was devoted to a special joint military and civilian working arrangement. In addition two memoranda were completed and one verbal report was made. P.I. support was provided a consultant panel. Work is in progress on 26 projects.

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e. Technical Intelligence Branch: The major effort of the branch was devoted to top priority items in support of the joint working group. Work included extensive measurement, slotted templet control extension, photo rectification computations and preparation of graphics and controlled mosaics. Several computation problems were programmed and solved by the electronic computer. Work continues on

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which involves technical support to DD/P. Much work was expended in plans to further implement the electronic computer and to increase graphic supporting capabilities. Work continues on 15 projects. Two additional projects have been deferred.

f. Central Branch: Six photographic Intelligence Memoranda were completed during the month. Two reports were completed for DD/P, two for OCI, and one each for I/AR and D/CG. Aerial photography was flown and preliminary study begun on the work progress at the Langley building site. Briefings were presented to D/CG, D/GL, and D/GC on missions and functions of the Division. Lectures were presented to the DD/P Photo Class, the Naval Intelligence School and the Intelligence Orientation Program. Presentation of the Division Photographic Interpretation Course continues.

B. ADMINISTRATIVE AND PLANNING

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1. [REDACTED]
of OCI to discuss the transfer of special materials to the Division.

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2. [REDACTED]
[REDACTED] concerning present and future requirements, the use of DD/P materials, and report formats.

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25X1A9a 3. [REDACTED] with CMDR. T. L. Stevens of ONI/HI concerning photographic research problems, including methods for rapid servicing, researching and maintenance of TS files.

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25X1A9a 4. [REDACTED] attended the Graphics Research Coordinating Committee meeting on 2 November. [REDACTED] stated that since the last meeting PRSD had been given a new, substantial appropriation to continue SIS plotting and that the first of the World Photo Coverage Indexing books (in their new format) is scheduled for distribution in December.

5. The Special Projects Branch has been short 5 professional employees through November. Three men are on loan to the Technical Intelligence Branch and two men were transferred from the Branch.

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6. [REDACTED] visited various companies and military installations in California in support of a DD/P project.

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7. [REDACTED] provide support to a DD/P project.

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8. [REDACTED] visited [REDACTED] to inspect progress of an instrument being developed under contract for D/GP.

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9. [REDACTED] met with [REDACTED] Corporation to discuss special lens and camera requirements.

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10. [REDACTED] chaired the regular meeting of the Joint Chiefs of Staff Working Party on Ground Intelligence Photography.

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11. [REDACTED] visited [REDACTED] where they participated in a series of briefings.

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C. MISCELLANEOUS

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1. Messrs. [REDACTED] completed IOC, 22 November.

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2. Messrs. [REDACTED] are enrolled in the Division Photo Interpretation Course.

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3. [REDACTED] completed the Reading Techniques Course 22 November.

4. [REDACTED] completed the English Usage (Review) Course 8 November.

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5. [REDACTED] completed the DD/P Border Training Course 8 November.

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6. [REDACTED] is on TDY overseas.

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7. [REDACTED] resigned 29 November to get married and live in New York. [REDACTED] had EOD with the Division on 15 November 1957.

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8. [REDACTED] was entered on the T/O of the Division. He has been working in TI, D/GP, for some time. [REDACTED] EOD D/GP 25 November.

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9. [REDACTED] attended the [REDACTED] meeting in New York.

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10. [REDACTED] visited the [REDACTED]
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11. [REDACTED]

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[REDACTED]

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PHOTOGRAPHIC INTELLIGENCE DIVISION
STATUS OF PROJECTS
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I. Reports Completed During November 1957

<u>Report No.</u>	<u>Subject</u>	<u>Requester</u>	<u>Classification</u>
PIM(L)-12	25X1A2g [REDACTED] (Project 70.272)	DD/P	Secret/Noform Continued Control
PIM(L)-20	Taganrog A/C Plant "Dimitrov 89 & 49" (Project 70.274)	I/AR	Secret
PIM(L)-21	Southeast China Situation (Project 70.247)	OCI	[REDACTED]
PIM(L)-23	Southeast China Situation (Project 70.247)	OCI	25X1X7 [REDACTED]
PIM(L)-24	Analysis of Four Selected Areas of Indonesia (Project 70.261)	D/GG	Secret
PIM(L)-25	[REDACTED] (Project 70.277) 25X1A2g	DD/P	Secret/Noform Continued Control
15 Reports, Memoranda, and Working Papers [REDACTED]		25X1A2g	Top Secret

II. Projects In Process

<u>Project No.</u>	<u>Title</u>	<u>Requester</u>	<u>Due Date</u>	<u>Status</u>
70.159	[REDACTED] 25X1A2g	DCI	Open	In Process
70.221	[REDACTED]	DD/P	Open	In Process
70.225	MM50 Camera Evaluation	DD/P	Open	In Process
70.247	SE China Situation	OCI	Open	Cont Proj
70.259	[REDACTED] 25X1A2g	D/GG	Open	Deferred
70.267	Electronic Communication Facilities	ORR	Open	In Process
70.268	[REDACTED] 25X1A2g	OCI	Open	In Process

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II. Projects in Process (contd)

<u>Project No.</u>	<u>Title</u>	<u>Requester</u>	<u>Due Date</u>	<u>Status</u>
70.275	Shanghai, China, Port Study	DD/P	Open	In Process
70.276	Canton, China, Port Study	DD/P	Open	In Process
72.204	North Korean Urban Studies	D/GG	Open	Deferred

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MONTHLY REPORT FOR THE MAP LIBRARY DIVISION

November 1957

1. During November, 18,240 map sheets were distributed by the Reference Branch, in response to 1,199 requests for maps. The map requests decreased by 65 over the preceding month, while the number of map sheets required to fill the requests increased by 5,623. In addition, 200 volumes were forwarded to requestors, to fill 90 requests for geographic publications. Requests for place name information totalled 133, and requests for miscellaneous reference information amounted to 220. After three months of inactivity on the Vital Storage project on the part of the Reference Branch, work was resumed during November. The areas of Indochina, Malaya, Thailand, and Singapore, and several larger regional areas, were reviewed, and a selection of materials on these areas was made for Vital Storage.

2. In response to 76 requests for charts and photo mosaics, the Air Target Unit forwarded 1,749 sheets. 276 TIS publications were also distributed to fill 30 requirements for this material.

3. The Processing Branch is confronted with two main problems. For the third successive month, Cataloging and Indexing personnel, in addition to performing their cataloging duties, have been absorbing clerical and typing duties related to cataloging, owing to the lack of clerical assistance. Also, preparation of materials for the Depository is again consuming many hours of Processing Branch time. During the past month, 70 hours of regular time and 100 hours of overtime were spent on Depository materials.

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4. [REDACTED] entered on duty as catalogers in the Processing Branch during the month.

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5. [REDACTED] are at their posts of assignment. All others are currently in travel status, [REDACTED] in [REDACTED] time was extended [REDACTED] in [REDACTED] view of prolonged negotiation for large-scale series maps. [REDACTED]

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[REDACTED] is conducting procurement [REDACTED]

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6. An effective mechanism has been developed through contacts with [REDACTED]

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[REDACTED] resulting in a considerable flow of information of a highly competitive nature regarding project proposals. The nature of the information received

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MAP LIBRARY DIVISION

SUMMARY OF STATISTICS - NOVEMBER 1957

RECEIPTS (For retention in Map Library)	Specialty Map Sheets	Series Map Sheets	Total Map Sheets
<u>Maps</u>			
a. Made in CIA/D/GC	*13,483	0	13,483
b. On automatic receipt and purchases for stock	8,123	4,966	13,089
c. From other domestic sources	131	0	131
d. From foreign sources	1,079	1,119	2,198
e. From foreign sources for stock	682	54	736
TOTAL	23,498	6,139	29,637

Atlases and other reference materialsTotal Volumes

- a. On automatic receipt and purchases for stock
b. From other domestic sources
c. From foreign sources

1,218

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153

TOTAL

1,678

PROCESSING

Map CatalogingTitlesSheets/Volumes

- a. Special maps made in CIA/D/GC
b. Special maps - All others
c. Series indexed and cataloged

40

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14

TOTAL

554

40

816

1,353

2,239

Cataloging, etc. of Reference materials

- a. Atlases
b. Place-name volumes
c. Publisher's catalogs
d. Other reference volumes

19

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14

91

TOTAL

133

56

35

21

130

252

DISBURSEMENTS

MapsRequestsTitlesRequests/Volumes

- a. To domestic establishments

1. To CIA

752

5,606

14,088

2. To Department of State

237

599

1,557

3. To Department of Defense

164

620

3,033

- a) Department of the Army

72

295

1,721

- b) Department of the Navy

14

46

81

- c) Department of the Air Force

66

130

757

- d) Other components of Defense

12

149

474

4. Other government agencies

110

381

1,131

- 25X1X7. To establishments overseas

12

46

180

1

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11

TOTAL

1,276

7,25

20,000

Atlases and other reference materials

- a. To domestic establishments

120

350

500

- b. To foreign establishments

1

150

586

TOTAL

121

500

1,086

Information

- a. Place-name questions

133

- b. Other reference inquiries

220

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has increased in complexity and sensitivity, i.e., more details of a technical nature are being collected to satisfy the needs of the Defense components for planning purposes and to enable the Agency and State to participate intelligently in discussions involving policy decision in ICA, and, in the case of the Agency alone, to satisfy operational and planning requirements of DD/P. Owing to the fact that some of the information being collected involves operational data of the companies of a highly competitive nature, the classifications and controls are necessarily very restrictive.

7. FDD has become increasingly aware of our interest in maps in publications and has placed one of their people in a coordinating position within FDD. As a result, about a hundred new map titles were processed from publications supplied by FDD. FDD has also provided leads to newly-published maps and related publications, which were requested through foreign procurement channels.

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_____ spent two days at _____ reviewing the activities and operational procedures of the company. They also visited _____ to review the activities of _____

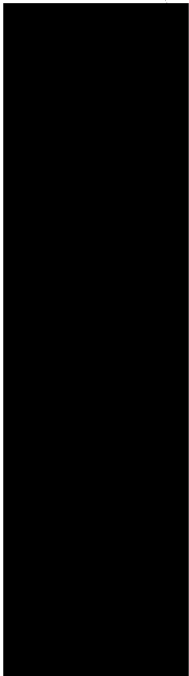
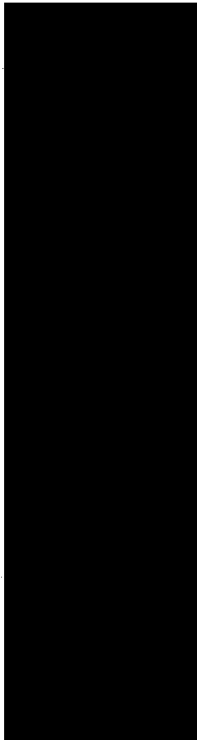
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FISCAL STATEMENT

	<u>Total FY-1958</u>	<u>Spent in November</u>	<u>Spent to Date</u>	<u>Balance end November 1957</u>
<u>06 Printing and Reproduction</u>		\$ -	\$ -	
<u>07 Other Contractual Services</u>		25X1A1a		
National Archives				
<u>08 Supplies and Materials</u>				
AMS				
Paper Maps				
Plastic Maps				
AGS		25X1A1a		
NOS				
USGS				
Supplies				
Materials				
<u>09 Equipment</u>				

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